

**Message to the Congress  
Transmitting a Report on the  
National Emergency With Respect to  
the Lapse of the Export  
Administration Act of 1979**

*June 25, 2002*

*To the Congress of the United States:*

As required by section 204(c) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act (50 U.S.C. 1703(c)) and section 401(c) of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1641(c)), I transmit herewith a 6-month report prepared by my Administration, on the national emergency declared by Executive Order 13222 of August 17, 2001, to deal with the threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States caused by the lapse of the Export Administration Act of 1979.

**George W. Bush**

The White House,  
June 25, 2002.

NOTE: This message was released by the Office of the Press Secretary on July 3.

**Message to the Congress  
Transmitting a Report on the  
National Emergency With Respect to  
Iran**

*June 25, 2002*

*To the Congress of the United States:*

As required by section 401(c) of the National Emergencies Act, 50 U.S.C. 1641(c), and section 204(c) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S.C. 1703(c), I transmit herewith a 6-month periodic report prepared by my Administration on the national emergency with respect to Iran that was declared in Executive Order 12170 of November 14, 1979.

**George W. Bush**

The White House,  
June 25, 2002.

NOTE: This message was released by the Office of the Press Secretary on July 3.

**Memorandum on Delegation of  
Authority Under Section 124 of the  
National Defense Authorization Act  
for Fiscal Year 2001**

*July 2, 2002*

*Memorandum for the Secretary of Defense*

*Subject:* Delegation of Authority Under  
Section 124 of the National Defense  
Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2001

By the authority vested in me by the Constitution and laws of the United States of America, you are delegated the authority and assigned the responsibility of the President under section 124(b) of the Floyd D. Spence National Defense Authorization Act for Fiscal Year 2001 (Public Law 106-398).

The authority delegated by this memorandum may be redelegated, in writing, not lower than the Under Secretary of Defense level.

You are authorized and directed to publish this memorandum in the *Federal Register*.

**George W. Bush**

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**Remarks Celebrating the  
Bicentennial of Lewis and Clark's  
Voyage of Discovery**

*July 3, 2002*

Welcome. Please be seated. You read it just like I wrote it. [*Laughter*]

Thank you all for coming. It's great to see so many of my fellow Americans here on the eve of Independence Day, the day we celebrate the fantastic freedoms we love in America. And I hope every American goes out tomorrow and gives thanks for the many blessings of our Nation.

I want to thank members of my Cabinet who are here. Thank you all for coming, Gale and Ann.

I want to thank Members of the Congress—Senator and Congressman from the great Commonwealth of Virginia are here. I want to thank many members of the administration who are here. I see Fran, who is head of the National Parks. I want to thank